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## "Free AT for Transition and Beyond" Resource List\*

Some listings may **not** be presented during the session but are provided here as additional resources.

Name	Description	Link
Cool Timer	On-screen classroom timer for use as a classroom and individual activity management tool	http://www.harmonyhollow.net/cool timer.shtml
WordTalk	Microsoft Word add-in that will read text from a Word document out loud	http://fullmeasure.co.uk/powertalk/
PowerTalk	Microsoft PowerPoint add-in that will read text from a PowerPoint out loud	http://www.wordtalk.org.uk/Home/
Natural Reader	Reads highlighted text out loud from e-mails, web pages, PDFs, etc.	http://www.naturalreaders.com/
Windows Vista Speech Recognition	Directions for using speech recognition built into Windows Vista operating system	http://tiny.cc/Vistaspeech
Windows 7 Speech Recognition	Directions for using speech recognition built into Windows 7 operating system	http://tiny.cc/W7speech
Dragon App for iPod/iPhone	Speech-to-text app	http://www.apple.com/iphone/apps-for-iphone/
Bubbl.us	Web-based graphic organizer	http://bubbl.us/
HelpKidzLearn	Free switch-ready games for students with significant disabilities	http://www.helpkidzlearn.com/
Tar Heel Reader	A collection of free, easy-to- read, and accessible books	http://tarheelreader.org/
Tumble Books	Free online picture books read aloud free	http://tiny.cc/tumblebooks
Pocket Mod	Free personal organizer	http://pocketmod.com/

Fotoflexer	Free online image editor	http://fotoflexer.com/
Befunky	190 free, easy-to-use photo effects	http://www.befunky.com/
Big Huge Labs	Create motivational posters, movie posters, magazine covers, etc.	http://bighugelabs.com/
Glogster	Make free web-based interactive posters with images, text, music, and video	http://edu.glogster.com/
My Study Bar	A group of study aides for organization, reading, writing, and visual support	http://www.rsc-ne-scotland.ac.uk /eduapps/mystudybar.php
Vocaroo	Send e-mail with recorded voice messages	http://www.vocaroo.com/
Eyejot	Send video e-mail free	http://www.eyejot.com/
Camera Mouse	Control the computer mouse pointer by head movement	http://www.cameramouse.org/
TuxPaint	Free Windows/Mac paint program	http://www.tuxpaint.org/
Audacity	Free downloadable audio editor	http://audacity.sourceforge.net/
Click-N-Type On- Screen Keyboard	Free onscreen keyboard for students who use switch, mouthstick, headstick, or touch screen	http://www.lakefolks.org/cnt/
Make Belief Comix	Free online comic strip generator	http://www.makebeliefscomix.com/Comix/
Comic StripCreator	Downloadable, PC only	http://www.comicstripcreator.org/
Big On-Screen Calculator	Downloadable, can be sized to fill whole monitor	http://www.oatsoft.org/Software/big-calculator http://www.childrenshospital.org/
PowerPoint AAC	Needs input method such as switch interface, touch screen, tablet PC, or iPad	http://www.childrenshospital.org/
EyePlorer	Graphical knowledge engine	http://en.eyeplorer.com/show/
Soople	Uses all the advanced features of Google searches	http://www.soople.com/
Evernote	Web clipper saves the user's ideas and things the user sees and likes	http://www.evernote.com
Trainland	Lots of free Boardmaker	http://trainland.tripod.com/pecs.htm

	symbols and color photos suitable for PECS	
Easy Bib	Creates correct citations online	http://www.easybib.com/
Will You Type with Me?	Simultaneous on-line document collaboration for two or more people	http://typewith.me
IDEAL	Integrated Data to Enhance Arizona Learning teacher, administrator, and student support resources	https://www.ideal.azed.gov
Technology Toolkit	Resources to support UDL development in all classrooms	http://udltechtoolkit.wikispaces.com/
Stellarium	A virtual planetarium programmable for any location on Earth	http://www.stellarium.org/
Celestia	A virtual tour of the universe controlled from a computer screen	http://www.shatters.net/celestia/
еТуре	Free word completion plus translation	http://www.etype.com/
ADE/ESS Assistive Technology Unit		atinfo@ade.az.gov
ADE/ESS Assistive Technology Loan Library	2,500 items, searchable inventory, 1 month loan	www.adeatloan.org

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